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Level 2

World leaders have mixed reactions to Trump victory

11th November, 2016

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THE READING

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World leaders congratulated Donald Trump on his win in the U.S. election on Tuesday. Mr Trump beat his rival Hillary Clinton to become the USA's 45th President. He will become President on January 20, 2017. He will be 70 years, 7 months and 6 days old - the oldest person to become President. In his victory speech, Mr Trump said: "Working together, we will begin the urgent task of rebuilding our nation and renewing the American dream. [We will] have the strongest economy anywhere in the world....We will get along with all other nations willing to get along with us."

Russia's Vladimir Putin was among the first to congratulate Mr Trump. He said he wanted to develop Russian-American relations. China said it looked forward to working, "in a constructive way that avoided conflict". The Mexican President said Mexico and the USA were friends and partners and they should keep working together. France's President said the election result, "opens a period of uncertainty". Germany's Justice Minister tweeted: "The world won't end, but things will get more crazy." Japan's Prime Minister said: "Hand in hand with Mr Trump, we will try to work together."

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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. World leaders congratulated | a. American dream |
| 2. Mr Trump beat | b. anywhere in the world |
| 3. In his victory | c. task |
| 4. we will begin the urgent | d. along with us |
| 5. rebuilding our | e. his rival |
| 6. renewing the | f. speech |
| 7. the strongest economy | g. Donald Trump |
| 8. nations willing to get | h. nation |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Putin was among the first to | a. working together |
| 2. develop Russian-American | b. way |
| 3. working in a constructive | c. relations |
| 4. avoided | d. more crazy |
| 5. they should keep | e. congratulate Mr Trump |
| 6. a period | f. work together |
| 7. things will get | g. conflict |
| 8. we will try to | h. of uncertainty |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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DONALD TRUMP SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about Donald Trump in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

